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TOPIC	Gyocer Airfield		25X1
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- Between March and August 1953, a civilian airfield measuring about 1,500 x 1,000 meters was observed about 4 km. east of Gyocer (P 48/33 T: XN 9785), east of the industrial canal. The field was located in an area without obstacles and could be expanded to the east and northeast. An approach road and a spur track led to the field, which had originally been a ~~warehouse~~ the Gyocer Waggon Factory. The installation had ~~been damaged~~ during 1944. During the summer of 1953, ~~reconstruction work~~ was under way on the former assembly shop which was provided with craneways. The landing field was very soft after heavy rain. There was a north-south runway, about 800 meters long, with a vertical taxiway, about 300 meters long. The taxiway extended to a concrete dispersal area, about 500 x 70 meters, in front of the hangars. In early August 1953, only one hangar for gliders existed at the field. This hangar usually housed 6 gliders and, once or twice a week, a single-engine towing aircraft. The additional 4 gliders at the field had to be partially dismantled for parking, as the hangar was not large enough.
 - Buildings at the field included a two-story building, about 10 x 25 meters, which housed the flight-control station, the radio station, the weather station, a waiting room for civilian passengers and a quartering room for about 50 AVH soldiers; a low building, about 10 x 15 meters, which housed about 50 student pilots of the MSZSZ Association during August 1953. No warehouse, repair shops or supply installations were observed. The radio installation had an antenna tower about 15 meters high. Small balloons daily ascended in front of the weather station. No facilities for night landings, antiaircraft defense, or camouflage purposes were observed. The field was not fenced in but it was permanently guarded by 1 policeman and 2 AVH soldiers.

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